

## CERCLIS EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

EPA ID# IND000715078 SITE RECONNAISSANCE X YES NO
Revised Company Name:
Original Company Name: General American Transport Corp. Plant #1
Alias Names: GATX
Address 4520 Euclid Avenue  East Chicago, IN 46312  Lake County 89 County Code 10 Cong. Dist.
Coordinates: 41° 38' 00" Latitude 87° 27' 30" Longitude
Landfill X Generator Treatment, Storage, Disposal (TSD) Transporter Other:
PRIORITY ASSESSMENT: HIGH MEDIUM X NO FURTHER REMEDIAL ACTION PLANNED (NFRAP)
CLASS:  I-STATE LEAD II-REM/FIT LEAD State Accompanies
State Comments:
General American Transport Corporation (GATX) manufactured, repaired, and cleaned hopper type rail cars. GATX ceased operation on May 21, 1984. Potentially Hazardous Wastes were generated only during Railcar painting. Total RCRA closure was certified by IDEM in February 1988. Closure included sampling of soils and paint overspray in paint shops. Overspray in building #204 was found to have an EP Toxic lead level of 19 mg/l. The paint residue was sand blasted and placed in 55 gallon drums, manifested and transported off-site. The facility has been sold to five (5) new owners and subdivided into Mar Steel, United Rail Services, United Lining Corporation, and Jay West. See attached plat map. No evidence remains of any hazardous material as a reresult of GATX's occupation of the site. The State recommends No Further Action.
STATE INVOLVEMENT
X Preliminary Assessments Screening Site Inspection Listing Site Inspection Hazard Ranking System (HRS)
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